

VRIS UPDATE

**ATP/VR Partnership
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SUMMARY OF UPDATES

The ATP/VR Partnership Manual Chapter has been revised. Hearing aids and eyeglasses are now exempt from the ATP/VR Partnership process. For all other prosthetic devices VR staff will now make referrals for assistance (assessments and funding coordination) as per the process outlined in the Manual Chapter. Staff should include any supporting evaluations along with the referral to ATP.

The ATP Referral Form has been revised to include a check box for Transition Services. Staff should mark this check box if a referral is being made for a student receiving Transition Services and there is no expectation that an adult case will be opened and adult services provided.

VRIS POSTING

The following updates have been posted to VRIS:

VRIS: Program Manual: Community Services: ATP/VR Partnership
VRIS: Printed and Marketing Materials: Case Service Forms and Worksheets: ATP Referral Form

TEAM COMMUNICATION

Office Directors should review this change with their Team to assure an understanding and adherence to the policies and procedures. Cathy Hayes, Funding Coordinator for ATP, will also be scheduling on-site visits with all VR Offices/Teams in the next 60 days to review the procedures with staff.

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